OIC Statement, delivered by Mr. Danyal Hasnain, Second Secretary, during Enhanced Interactive Dialogue on High Commissioner Report Independent Investigative Mechanism on Myanmar (IIMM) Reports

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Mr. President,

OIC thanks the High Commissioner and the Head of the Mechanism for their reports.

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OIC is deeply concerned over the reports of mass killings, atrocities, arson, and forced conscription against Rohingya Muslims in Rakhine.

The ongoing conflict, that continues unabated, has forced more than one hundred and fifty thousand Rohingya Muslims to flee to Bangladesh and thousands to other countries in the region, especially since November 2023.

The Mechanism has a crucial role to advance accountability and justice for the Rohingya.

OIC calls upon the Mechanism to continue, and possibly enhance, its close and timely cooperation with the courts or tribunals, including the ICJ.

We commend Bangladesh and other countries in the region for their continued support to the Mechanism, including facilitating its regular visits.

OIC deeply regrets Myanmar's persistent non-cooperation with the Mechanism, including its indifference to the requests for country visits.

As a part of finding a durable solution to the Rohingya crisis, Myanmar should fully cooperate with the Mechanism to ensure accountability and justice for the Rohingya Muslims.

We underscore that it is critically important for the OHCHR, as well as, for the Mechanism to continue uncovering evidence of atrocities and crimes committed against Rohingya Muslims.

Lastly, the OIC calls on all member States to provide adequate support towards the implementation of mandates activities of OHCHR and the Mechanism for the Rohingya Muslims.

I thank you.